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Border Stations

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the following numbers of loaded and
empty railroad cars passed through East German border stations,
in the directions indicated, between 5 and 24 October 1954:

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Date in October	Scheune		Kuesstrin		Frankfurt/Oder		Guben		Forst		Horka	
	West- bound	East- bound	West- bound	East- bound	West- bound	East- bound	West- bound	East- bound	West- bound	East- bound	West- bound	East- bound
5	81	66	236	388	504	735	212	398	492	478	582	540
6	106	67	202	548	731	643	330	456	430	443	642	65
7	25	61	315	275	570	756	338	389	544	503	443	51
8	65	68	400	450	572	579	426	410	528	572	664	645
9	60	66	490	420	650	507	440	321	490	458	510	534
10	103	71	272	535	563	540	438	380	506	535	586	614
11	105	62	474	518	490	492	348	487	560	377	590	554
12	5	34	413	482	653	562	440	445	585	356	444	460
13	71	85	291	455	661	312	458	416	440	332	590	521
14	45	61	437	384	712	351	496	312	564	466	537	574
15	133	122	464	521	542	505	449	354	560	369	588	580
16	67	144	389	428	621	583	403	253	551	435	597	480
17	110	121	58	325	698	582	442	341	535	340	593	510
18	101	173	220	339	526	457	274	441	575	472	642	490
19	199	129	201	264	659	522	359	376	461	536	591	58
20	151	158	133	444	617	526	386	336	505	491	587	544

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21	117	163	143	269	645	580	233	456	467	497	533	511
22	68	127	189	403	550	495	345	397	535	500	587	611
23	103	125	169	375	366	629	403	389	521	518	536	554
24	132	121	173	333	620	402	432	534	580	430	580	511

Comment: Compared to the last reported period, the following numbers of cars daily passed through the border stations listed:

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Border Station	Balance in Relation to Last Reported Period	
	Westbound	Eastbound
Scheune	92	101
Kuestrin	283	403
Frankfurt/Oder	598	538
Guben	380	395
Forst	525	457
Horka	589	560
Total	2467	2459

Freight traffic through Kuestrin, Guben, Forst, and Horka increased in connection with hard coal shipments from Poland; traffic through Frankfurt/Oder increased in connection with intensified transit traffic through Poland during the reported period.

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